## ASSIGNMENT 2

Textbook Assignment: "The Law Library and Legal Research," chapter 2, pages 2-1 through 2-18, and "Court Reporting," chapter 3, pages 3-1 through 3-34.

- 2-1. What should be your first task when assigned as the law library librarian?
  - 1. Inventory the library
  - Make sure all materials are up to date
  - Account for all materials on loan
  - Know what materials are contained in the library and where they are located
- 2-2. In addition to primary sources, into what additional basic category(ies) is/are legal reference materials classified?
  - 1. Secondary and tertiary
  - 2. Finding tools only
  - 3. Secondary and finding tools
  - 4. Case law, statutory law, and regulations
- 2-3. Which source of law is commonly known as the supreme law of the land?
  - 1. Constitutional
  - 2. Statutory
  - 3. Case
  - 4. Administrative
- 2-4. Which source of law includes those laws passed or enacted by legislative bodies?
  - 1. Constitutional
  - 2. Statutory
  - 3. Case
  - 4. Administrative
- $^{2-5}$ . Which source of law is derived from the judicial system?
  - 1. Constitutional
  - 2. Statutory
  - 3. Case
  - 4. Administrative

- 2-6. *U.S. Navy Regulations*, 1990, is an example of which type of law?
  - 1. Constitutional
  - 2. Statutory
  - 3. Case
  - 4. Administrative
- 2-7. What is the key determiner in deciding whether a set of books is considered official?
  - Its contents report the law or cases of a single geographical area
  - The manner in which the material is indexed is uniform
  - It is published by virtue of statutory direction or law
  - 4. Its contents report the law and/or decisions of the highest court or government body
- 2-8. The rules for human behavior that are enforced by federal or state government are considered as what kind of authority?
  - 1. Primary
  - 2. Secondary
  - 3. Official
  - 4. Unofficial
- 2-9. What is the purpose of a secondary authority?
  - To help the researcher find a particular law
  - To report the statutes or decisions enacted by legislative bodies or courts
    - . To explain or describe the law
  - 4. To present a history of the law
- 2-10. Which of the following items is an example of a finding tool?
  - 1. Treatise
  - 2. Periodical
  - 3. Commentary
  - 4. Digest

- 2-11. The standard minimum list of commercial lawbooks contains a list of publications that are provided to which of the following activities?
  - Naval legal service office libraries
  - Naval legal service detachment libraries
  - 3. Staff judge advocate libraries
  - 4. All of the above
- 2-12. What official or activity is responsible for providing an initial supply of materials contained on the standard minimum list?
  - 1. JAG, Administration Section
  - 2. Head, Field Law Library Section
  - 3. OJAG, Publications Section
  - 4. Navy Publications and Forms Center
- 2-13. Which of the following departments or officials in JAG is responsible for distributing JAG instructions and notices?
  - 1. Executive assistant to JAG
  - 2. CLE/Legal Assistance Policy Division of JAG
  - 3. Head, Field Law Library Section
  - 4. OJAG, Publications Section
- 2-14. OJAG, Publications Section, acts as primary advisor to JAG on all matters related to commercial lawbook needs of the field library activities.
  - 1. True
  - 2. False

IN ANSWERING QUESTIONS 2-15 THROUGH 2-20, SELECT FROM COLUMN B THE DEPARTMENT OF JAG INITIALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR DISTRIBUTION OF THE PUBLICATION LISTED IN COLUMN A.

	A. PUBLICATIONS	в.	DEPARTMENTS
2-15.	Off the Record 2	1.	Head, Field Law Library
2-16.	Military Justice Reporter		Section
2-17.	Shepard's Citations	2.	Executive Assistant to JAG
2-18.	JAG Manual	3.	OJAG, Publications
2-19.	West Federal Forms		Section
2-20.	Legal Assistance Newsletter	4.	Legal Assistance Policy Division of OJAG

- 2-21. The effectiveness of legal research depends which of the following factors?
  - The amount of legal reference material available
  - 2. The type of legal reference material available
  - How well the legal reference material is maintained and kept up to date
  - 4. How the legal reference material is arranged
- 2-22. In a large NLSO, legal reference material pertaining to specific areas of law should be kept and maintained in what location?
  - In the spaces of the division primarily concerned
  - In a separate area of the law library grouped together
  - Within the law library without reference to specific areas of law
  - 4. In a separate law library

- 2-23. Which of the following factors dictate(s) the most effective layout for your library?
  - 1. Space
  - 2. Equipment limitations
  - 3. Both 1 and 2 above
  - 4. Lighting
- 2-24. In what manner are loose-leaf supplements usually maintained?
  - Inside the front cover of the published volume
  - Inside the back cover of the published volume
  - In a separate binder provided by the publisher
  - 4. In a separate binder provided by the library
- 2-25. What disposition is made of outdated pocket parts?
  - 1. Returned to the publisher
  - 2. Maintained for 6 months
  - Filed beside the appropriate volume
  - 4. Discarded
- 2-26. What method should be used to update a set of publications between issuance of annual pocket parts or other periodic updates?
  - 1. Supplementary pamphlets
  - 2. Loose-leaf supplements
  - 3. Interim pamphlets
  - 4. Advance sheets
- 2-27. In what manner are bound volume supplements placed in a set of publications?
  - By replacing the volume they supplement
  - By placing them next to the bound volume they supplement
  - At the end of the publication set
  - 4. With the index of the publications set

- 2-28. Which of the following information is NOT recorded on a card index system card?
  - 1. Edition
  - 2. Publisher
  - 3. Date of publication
  - 4. Location of the material
  - 2-29. In order for a sign-out list check-out system to be effective, it should be kept in what location?
    - 1. In the law librarian's office
    - 2. Outside the entrance of the library
    - 3. In a centralized location in the library
    - 4. Near the door of the library
  - 2-30. Which of the following methods should be used to identify a book as belonging to your library?
    - 1. Stamp the return mailing stamp on the three outside book edges
    - 2. Stamp the return mailing stamp on pages 1 and 101 of each volume
    - 3. Both 1 and 2 above
    - 4. Stamp the return mailing stamp on the outside edge of each volume
  - 2-31. What method is used to request new material funded by JAG?
    - 1. Letter request
    - 2. Open purchase request
    - 3. Telephone request
    - 4. Message request
  - 2-32. Normally, who directs the employment of reporters in a court-martial?
    - 1. The convening authority
    - 2. The OEGCMJ
    - 3. The trial counsel
    - 4. CO of the NLSO

- be found in which of the following publications?
  - 1. MCM
  - 2. UCMJ
  - 3. JAGMAN
  - 4. NLSO Manual
- 2-34. When calling the court to order, the military judge is responsible for making sure the name and rank of the detailed court reporter are announced.
  - 1. True
  - 2. False
- 2-35. What part of the testimony, if any, taken in an open session of court may be omitted from the record?
  - 1. Sessions heard out of the presence of the court members
  - 2. Those proceedings determined unnecessary by the military judge
  - 3. The testimony ordered stricken from the record
  - 4. None
- The reporter's primary duty of 2-36. recording a verbatim proceeding includes what additional responsibility?
  - 1. Recording the name of the bailiff
  - 2. Making sure the court is started on time
  - parties to the trial
  - 4. The swearing in of witnesses
- What person is responsible for securing any evidence during recesses or adjournments?
  - 1. Bailiff
  - 2. Military judge
  - 3. Reporter
  - 4. Trial counsel

- 2-33. The required oath for reporters may 2-38. Trial notes and recordings must be maintained up to what point in a (a) summarized record of trial (ROT) and (b) verbatim ROT?
  - 1. (a) Until the CA's action is taken; (b) until final action or appellate review is completed
  - 2. (a) Until the record is authenticated; (b) until the CA's action is taken
  - 3. (a) Until the record is authenticated; (b) until final action or appellate review is complete
  - 4. (a) Until the promulgating order is published; (b) until NMCMR completes its action
  - 2-39. Which of the following methods may be used to record the proceedings of a court-martial?
    - 1. Shorthand and stenotype only
    - 2. Multichannel or videotape only
    - 3. Longhand, shorthand, or electrical means only
    - 4. Longhand, shorthand, electrical, or mechanical means
    - 2-40. Which of the following items are maintained on a reporter's log?
      - 1. The descriptions of the exhibits admitted
      - 2. The stages of examination
      - 3. The names of the members
      - 4. All of the above
  - 3. Recording the actions of all 2-41. When you are transcribing a record of trial, which of the following margin settings is correct?
    - 1. Left margin, 1 1/2 inches
    - 2. Top margin, 2 inches
    - 3. Right margin, 1/2 inch
    - 4. Bottom margin, 1/2 inch
    - On a record of trial, in what 2-42. position should second and subsequent lines be placed?
      - 1. Indented 5 spaces
      - 2. Indented 2 spaces
      - 3. Flush with the left margin
      - 4. Indented 4 spaces

IN ANSWERING QUESTIONS 2-43 AND 2-44,
SELECT THE RECORD OF TRIAL ABBREVIATION
THAT CAN BE USED IN THE SITUATION LISTED
AS THE QUESTION.

- 2-43. As a prefix to statements.
  - 1. Mr.
  - 2. USS
  - 3. U.S.
  - 4. TC:
- 2-44. Used in text or when transcribing gestures.
  - 1. U.S.
  - 2. TC
  - 3. PRES:
  - 4. MJ:
- 2-45. Which of the following statements shows the correct format for using numbers?
  - Parts two and three were missing
  - 2. A difference of four percent
  - 3. It was two inches long
  - 4. I gave him \$15.25
- 2-46. When testimony is transcribed, what symbol is used to indicate that one speaker was interrupted by another?
  - 1. ....
  - 2. \*\*\*\*
  - 3. ----
  - 4. --
- 2-47. What symbol is used to identify a reporter's remark?
  - 1. Parenthesis
  - 2. Bracket
  - 3. Asterisk
  - 4. Hyphen
- $^{2-48}$ . When you are transcribing a record, where is the stage of examination placed?
  - 1. Centered on the page
  - Indented 2 spaces from the left margin
  - 3. Flush with the left margin
  - 4. Indented 4 spaces

- 2-49. A witness called for the defense is initially examined by the prosecution.
  - 1. True
  - 2. False
  - 2-50. Which of the following symbols is used to mark the first appellate exhibit admitted into evidence?
    - 1. A
    - 2. a
    - 3. 1
    - 4. I
- 2-51. Who is responsible for directing that the words for identification are to be removed from an exhibit?
  - 1. Trial counsel
  - 2. Defense counsel
  - 3. Military judge
  - 4. Reporter
- 2-52. In what manner is real evidence marked?
  - 1. With identifying markings on a sticky label
  - With identifying markings on a tag
  - 3. By attaching an evidence custody document
  - 4. With identifying markings etched on the evidence
- 2-53. Which of the following special court-martial sentences requires a verbatim record of trial?
  - 1. 4 months' confinement
  - 2. Total forfeitures for 2 months
  - 3. Reduction in rate to E-1
  - 4. 30 days' restriction, BCD

- 2-54. Which of the following officials is responsible for (a) assigning a security classification to a record of trial and (b) removing classified material from the accused's copy of the record of trial?
  - 1. (a) Convening authority;
    - (b) trial counsel
  - 2. (a) Trial counsel;
    - (b) convening authority
  - 3. (a) Military judge;
    - (b) convening authority
  - 4. (a) Convening authority;
    - (b) reporter
  - A. Matters submitted by the accused
  - B. Advice of the SJA
  - C. DD Form 457
  - D. Court-martial orders

Figure 2A

IN ANSWERING QUESTION 2-55, REFER TO FIGURE 2A.

- 2-55. In what exact order should the respective documents be placed in a record of trial?
  - 1. A, C, D, B
  - 2. A, D, C, B
  - 3. C, A, D, B
  - 4. D, A, C, B
- 2-56. When, if ever, may a court reporter authenticate a record of trial?
  - When directed by the military judge
  - Only during the absence of the military judge and trial counsel
  - In a military judge alone case when the duty falls upon a member
  - 4. Never

- 2-57. In what manner may a record of trial be changed after authentication?
  - 1. Pen and ink by the trial counsel
  - 2. Rewrite by the reporter
  - 3. Pen and ink by the CA
  - 4. Certificate of correction
  - 2-58. GCM and SPCM records of trial must be served on the accused after what action?
    - 1. Delivery to the CA
    - 2. The ROT is authenticated
    - 3. Assembly of the record
    - 4. The advice of SJA is prepared
  - 2-59. What is the purpose of the DD Form 490 kit?
    - 1. To prepare a verbatim ROT
    - 2. To prepare a summary ROT
    - 3. To prepare a summarized ROT
    - 4. To prepare an Article 32 report
  - 2-60. Good cause must be shown to the CA for a member to be excused after which of the following stages of a court-martial?
    - 1. Pleas
    - 2. Arraignment
    - 3. Article 39a hearing
    - 4. Voir dire
  - 2-61. Which of the following personnel may NOT be punished for contempt of court?
    - 1. Trial counsel
    - 2. Reporter
    - 3. Members
    - 4. Bailiff
  - 2-62. When does the punishment of a fine adjudged during contempt proceedings take effect?
    - 1. Immediately when adjudged
    - Upon completion of the court-martial in which the contempt occurred
    - 3. When ordered executed by the CA
    - 4. When ordered executed by the promulgating order of the case in which it occurred

- 2-63. In what manner is an offender of a contempt proceeding notified of the holding, punishment, and CA's action?
  - 1. Orally by the military judge
  - By notation in the promulgating order
  - By forwarding a copy of the contempt proceedings to the offender
  - 4. By letter from the CA
- 2-64. Who is responsible for preparing a certificate of correction?
  - 1. Reporter
  - 2. Trial counsel
  - 3. Military judge
  - 4. Convening authority
- 2-65. Which of the following statements regarding a proceedings in revision is NOT correct?
  - The court may revoke its former findings
  - The court may announce a new finding
  - A new military judge may be detailed to a case previously heard by a military judge alone
  - 4. Some original members may be absent as long as a quorum is present
- 2-66. In what case must the summary of evidence considered by a summary court-martial be attached to the record?
  - The accused pled not guilty and was found guilty
  - 2. The accused pled guilty and was found guilty
  - The accused pled guilty and was found not guilty
  - 4. The accused pled not guilty and was found not guilty

- 2-67. What are the two types of depositions that can be taken to preserve the testimony of a witness who is unable to be in court?
  - 1. Formal and informal
  - 2. Formal and oral
  - 3. Written and oral
  - 4. Written and informal
- 2-68. Once interrogatories, objections, and cross interrogatories are prepared and approved by the CA, what step is taken next?
  - 1. The TC requests the assignment of a deposition officer
  - 2. The TC prepares a DD Form 456
  - 3. The CA appoints a deposition officer
  - 4. The CA sends the deposition form to the deposition officer
- 2-69. Objections made during the taking of a written deposition are ruled on by what official or activity?
  - 1. Deposition officer
  - 2. The court
  - 3. The convening authority
  - 4. Convening authority of the deposition officer
- 2-70. An oral deposition is authenticated by what official?
  - 1. Trial counsel
  - 2. Defense counsel
  - 3. Deposition officer
  - 4. Deponent